LISTING OF CLAIMS

Claims 1-10 (CANCELED)

11- (NEW) A solid orodispersible pharmaceutical composition comprising:
- granules consisting of co-dried lactose and starch, and
- perindopril or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

12- (NEW) A composition according to claim 11, wherein the composition disintegrates in the mouth in less than three minutes.

13- (NEW) A composition according to claim 12, wherein the composition disintegrates in the mouth in less than one minute.

14- (NEW) A composition according to claim 11, comprising, in relation to the total weight of the composition :
- from 85 % to 99 % by weight of granules consisting of co-dried lactose and starch, and
- from 0.1 % to 10 % by weight of perindopril or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

15- (NEW) A composition according to claim 14, comprising from 0.5 % to 6 % by weight of perindopril or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

16- (NEW) A composition according to claim 11, further comprising one or more lubricants, a flow agent and, optionally, a sweetening agent.

17- (NEW) A composition according to claim 11, wherein the composition is in the form of a tablet.

18- (NEW) A tablet according to claim 17, wherein the tablet is obtained by direct compression.

19- (NEW) A tablet according to claim 18, wherein the tablet has a hardness from 5 to 50 Newtons.

20- (NEW) A tablet according to claim 19, wherein the tablet has a hardness from 10 to 20 Newtons.

21- (NEW) A process for the manufacture of solid orodispersible compositions of perindopril, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, which disintegrate in the mouth in less than three minutes, wherein the perindopril or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof is mixed with granules consisting of co-dried lactose and starch.

22- (NEW) A process for the manufacture of solid orodispersible compositions of perindopril, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, which disintegrate in the mouth in less than one minute, wherein the perindopril or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof is mixed with granules consisting of co-dried lactose and starch.

23- (NEW) A method for treating a living animal body including a human afflicted with a condition selected from arterial hypertension and heart failure comprising the step of administering to the living animal body including a human a composition according to claim 11 which is effective for alleviation of the condition.